has a rectangular notch **202** at its upper end to receive the arm **200**. The arm is formed with a depending flange **204** which abuts the front of the door. This flange has corner holes **206** to receive anchoring screws **208**. Depending eyes **210** are formed at the bottom end of the front of the cabinet to receive anchoring screws **212**. An optical tube **214** is formed on arm **200** at its forward end. This tube has a downwardly inclined barrel **216** in which is a lens **218**. In the optical path P' of the lens is an angularly disposed mirror **220** inside the barrel which deflects the scanned line of sight into the barrel **28***a* of video scanner **26** inside of cabinet **20***a*. Antenna **58** and cable **59** extend laterally of the cabinet. Microphone **55** and loudspeaker **56** are mounted behind openings **224** in the front wall **29***a*. These openings communicate with a passage **225** in the door protected by a perforated plate **226**. Sound waves pass freely through this plate and passage **225** to and from the microphone and loudspeaker respectively.

The door **22***a* will be equipped with the power interlock switch and the solenoid controlled lock in the same manner as described in connection with FIGS. 1 and 7. The components of cabinet **20***a* will be connected in system **100** in the same manner as shown in FIG. 7. Motors **48**, **50**, relays **140**, **144** and filters **130**, **131** will be removed since cabinet **20***a* does not require them. Cabinet **20***a* is fixed in position. The optical field scanning lens **218** is so located that it encompasses the entire field F desired to be scanned in front of the door **22***a* by the video scanner **26**.

Operation of the system employing cabinet **20***a* is the same as already described in connection with FIG. 7, with the exception of the motor drive for the cabinet.

In a security system employing cabinet **20** or **20***a* the same measure of security is afforded to the occupant **P1** in the house or apartment **24**. Complete and effective interview and surveillance of a visitor is had under control of occupant **P1**, with supervision and monitoring of the interview at the guard station if the occupant **P1** deems it necessary.

While I have illustrated and described the preferred embodiments of my invention, it is to be understood that I do not limit myself to the precise construction herein disclosed and that various changes and modifications may be made within the scope of the invention as defined in the appended claim.

What is claimed is:

1. A security system for protecting the interior of a place of residence having an entrance door, comprising a plurality of windows in the door disposed in vertically spaced array; protective plates covering the windows, respectively; means pivotally supporting said plates on the door to clear each of the windows; a cabinet containing a video scanning device; gear means movably supporting the cabinet to move in a vertical path at the door; motor means in the cabinet engaged with said gear means to drive the video scanning device in said vertical path past the windows while the cabinet pivots each protective plate in turn to clear its associated window for exposing said video scanning device at the cleared window; a video signal transmitter in said cabinet connected to said video scanning device to send a picture of a scanned field in front of each cleared window in turn to a remote location in the interior of said place of residence; radio receiver means in said cabinet; radio transmitter means at said remote location for sending radio signals to said radio receiver; power supply means connected to said motor means for energizing the same to drive the video scanning device up and down; and switch means connected in circuit with said power supply and said radio receiver means for turning on the motor means selectively in response to receipt of a signal from said radio transmitter means, whereby the field in front of each cleared window is scanned in turn.

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